GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS
LOK SABHA

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Diabetes Drug
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Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

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(a) the details of drugs being used for treatment of diabetes that are under price control;

(b) whether the Government proposes to put drugs for low blood sugar under price control; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS; MINISTRY OF SHIPPING AND MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI MANSUKH L. MANDAVIYA)

(a) to (c): The Government has fixed the ceiling price of 11 Anti-diabetic medicines which are listed in Schedule I of Drugs (Prices Control) Order, 2013 (DPCO, 2013) and are under price control. National Pharmaceutical Pricing Authority (NPPA) has also fixed the ceiling price of Glucose 25 % injection medicine which is used to treat low blood sugar level or hypoglycaemia. The details are at Annexure.

Annexure

Sl No	Medicines	Dosage form and Strength	Ceiling price	S.O. & date
1	Glimepiride	Tablet 1 mg	3.33 per tablet	1253(E) dated 29.3.2016
2	Glimepiride	Tablet 2 mg	5.29 per tablet	1253(E) dated 29.3.2016
3	Insulin (Soluble)	40 IU/ml injection	13.40 Per ML	2193(E) dated 23.6.2016
4	Intermediate Acting (NPH) Insulin	40 IU/ml injection	13.40 Per ML	2193(E) dated 23.6.2016
5	Metformin	Tablet 1000 mg (controlled release)	3.38 per tablet	1253(E) dated 29.3.2016
6	Metformin	Tablet 1000 mg (Immediate)	3.34 per tablet	1253(E) dated 29.3.2016
7	Metformin	Tablet 500 mg (controlled release)	1.77 per tablet	1253(E) dated 29.3.2016
8	Metformin Immediate Relase	750 mg Tablet	2.82 Per Tablet	4128(E) dated 22.12.2016
9	Metformin Controlled Release	750 mg Tablet	2.23 Per Tablet	4128(E) dated 22.12.2016
10	Metformin 500mg Immediate Release	Tablet	1.39 Per Tablet	1951(E) dated 2.6.2016
11	Premix Insulin 30:70	40 IU /ml Injection	13.40 Per ML	2193(E) dated 23.6.2016
12	Glucose Injection	25 %	0.15953 Per ML	4127(E) dated 22.12.2016

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